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SUBJECT: RADIATION ARTICLE

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FOR VAN GILDER FROM MOOSE(OP CENTER PLEASE PASS)

1. YOU WILL HAVE SEEN MY MESSAGE TO SHOUSE THUS BACKGROUND. KEYES HAD BITS AND PIECES SO I TALKED WITH HIM ON "OLD FRIEND BASIS. HE SIMPLY BLEW THE GROUND RULES IN ADDITION TO WHICH HE GOT THIS SOMEWHAT SCRED UP.

2. RE COST OF CONTRACT, I WAS TALKING OFF TOP OF MY HEAD, INCLUDING POSSIBLE ADD ON FOR ACCELERATED STUDY. BASIC FIGURES ARE IN PUBLIC DOMAIN AND CAN BE CORRECTED. SPOKESMAN COULD SAY WE ARE EXPLORING POSSIBLE AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT WHICH WOULD INCREASE COST.

3. WE MAY BE ASKED WHY OR WHETHER WE ARE ACCELERATING WORK-- WHETHER WE HAVE NEW INFO WHICH INCREASES OUR CONCERN? SPOKESMAN SHOULD SAY THAT UPON TALKING OFFICE WE EXAMINED MATTER
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CLOSELY, WENT TO MOSCOW, ETC. IN THIS CONTEXT WE LOOKED TO SEE WHETHER CONTRACT WAS ADEQUATE AND WELL DRAWN. WE FOUND SEVERAL PROBLEMS WHICH POINTED TO DELAY, ETC. IN OTHER WORDS, TELL THE TRUTH.

4. I NEVER LINKED JOHNS-HOPKINS STUDY SPECIFICALLY WITH CANCER-- THAT'S KEYES. I SAID IT WAS DIRECTED AT BROAD SPECTRUM.

5. DOUBT IF I SAID FOREIGN SERVICE FEELS IT WAS "VICTIMIZED"
BUT I DID TALK OF MANAGEMENT'S CREDIBILITY PROBLEMS.

6. NEVER DID I REFER TO SHOUSE AS BEING "EMOTIONALLY INVOLVED."

7. KEYES BROUGHT IN BRZENSKI, BOHLEN, THOMPSON AND STOESSEL.
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